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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

NCP corporation Docket No. 10996

7RADIA re application of: DURRANT, D. J. et al.

Serial No. 09/652,722

Filed: August 31, 2000

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR STANDARDIZING COMPONENT

CHARACTERISTIC DATA SUBMITTED BY A SELLER FOR USE BY A BUYER

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dayton, Ohio

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Docket No. 10996

Application of:

Durrant, Douglas J.

Group Art Unit: 2141

Serial No. 09/652,722

Examiner: Shaw, Joseph D.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2003, kindly amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1, 10, 11 and 18 as shown in the listing of claims that follows.

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